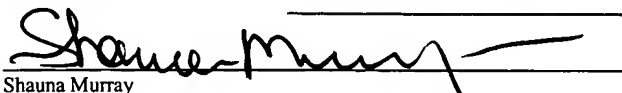


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Sir:


Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for a one month extension of time for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated November 19, 2003, extending the statutory period of response from January 19, 2003 to February 19, 2004

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the extension fee in the amount of \$110 to Deposit Account 50-1329. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional filing fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1329.

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